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In re the application of:



Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd.

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Filed: February 27, 2002

For: BIOSENSOR

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Cheryl M. Nichols

NOTIFICATION OF PRIOR SUBMISSION
OF ORIGINAL EXECUTED DECLARATION

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed April 29, 2002, applicant's representatives filed all the requested documents with the U.S. PTO on May 1, 2002. Attached hereto are photocopies of these documents and the PTO's copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts.

The PTO is requested to telephone the undersigned should they have any questions regarding this submission.

Respectfully submitted,

May 13, 2002

Date

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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PART 1 - ATTORNEY/APPLICANT COPY

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FORM PCT/DO/EO/905 (371 Formalities Notice)

Your mail room stamp hereon will acknowledge receipt of a Completion of Filing Requirements, Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, Assignment Transmittal, Assignment and our check in the amount of \$170.00 for:

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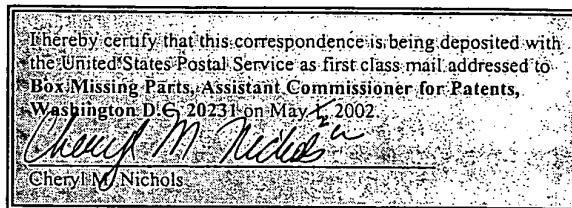
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COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS
— NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION

(check and complete this item, if applicable)

I. ☒ This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application mailed _____

☒ A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application—Filing Date Granted is enclosed.

DECLARATION OR OATH

II. ☒ No declaration or oath was filed. Enclosed is the original declaration or oath for this application.

OTHER PAPERS ENCLOSED

III. ☐ A Preliminary Amendment canceling claims ___ without prejudice or disclaimer
☒ Assignment with Assignment Transmittal

TRANSMITTAL OF ENGLISH TRANSLATION
OF NON-ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPERS

IV. ☐ Submitted herewith is an English translation of the non-English language application papers as originally filed. Also submitted herewith is a statement by the translator of the accuracy of the translation. It is requested that this translation be used as the copy for examination purposes in the PTO.

SMALL ENTITY STATUS

- V. ☐ A statement that this filing is by a small entity is attached.
- ☐ A separate refund request accompanies this paper.
- ☐ was filed on _____ (original).

COMPLETION FEES

VI. **WARNING:** Failure to submit the surcharge fees where required will cause the application to become abandoned. 37 C.F.R. 1.53.

NOTE: For effect on fees of failure to establish status, or change status, as a small entity, see 37 C.F.R. 1.28(a).

1. Filing Fee
☐ Original Patent Application
(37 C.F.R. 1.16(a) --\$740.00; Small Entity--\$370.00) \$ _____
 2. Fees for Claims (Claims; Indep.)
☐ each independent claim in excess of 3
(37 C.F.R. 1.16(b) --\$84.00; small entity--\$42.00) \$ _____ .00
☐ each claim in excess of 20
(37 C.F.R. 1.16(c) --\$18.00; small entity--\$9.00) \$ _____ .00
☐ multiple dependent claim(s)
(37 C.F.R. 1.16(d) --\$280.00; small entity--\$140.00) \$ _____ .00
 3. Surcharge fees
☒ late payment of filing fee
(37 C.F.R. 1.16(e) --\$130.00; small entity--\$65.00) \$ 130.00

and/or
☒ late filing of original declaration or oath
(37 C.F.R. 1.16(e) --\$130.00; small entity--\$65.00) \$ _____ .00

NOTE: If both the filing fee and declaration or oath were missing from the original papers, only one surcharge fee for both need be paid. 37 C.F.R. 1.16(e).
 4. ☐ Petition and fee for filing by other than all the inventors or a person not the inventor
(37 C.F.R. 1.17(j) and 1.47--\$130.00) \$ _____ .00
 5. ☐ Fee for processing an application filed with a specification in a non-English language
(37 C.F.R. 1.17(k) and 1.52(d) --\$130.00) \$ _____ .00
 6. ☒ Assignment Fee \$ 40.00
- Total Completion Fees** \$ **170.00**

EXTENSION OF TIME

VII.

(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)

The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) apply.

- (a) ☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4), for the total number of months checked below:

Extension (Months)		Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity
<input type="checkbox"/>	One Month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two Months	\$ 380.00	\$ 190.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Three Months	\$ 870.00	\$ 435.00

Extension Fee

\$ 00.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

- ☐ An extension for _____ months has already been secured, and the fee paid therefor of \$ _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$ 00.00

OR

- (b) ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

TOTAL FEE DUE

VIII.

The total fee due is:	Completion fee(s)	\$ 170.00
	Extension fee (if any)	\$ <u>00.00</u>
	Total Fee Due	\$ 170.00

PAYMENT OF FEES

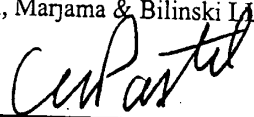
IX.

- ☒ Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$ 170.00.
☐ Charge Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____. A duplicate of this request is attached.

**AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE ADDITIONAL FEES OR
CREDIT OVERPAYMENT**

- X. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0289.
☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.
☐ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,
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